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Anticipated Floor Schedule

On Tuesday, the House will meet at 12:30 p.m. for morning hour and 2:00 p.m. for legislative business. Votes will be postponed until 6:30 p.m.

One Minutes

Suspensions (6 bills):

- 1) H.J.Res. 81 Providing for the appointment of Phillip Frost as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (Sponsored by Rep. Regula / House Administration Committee)
- H.J.Res. 82 Providing for the reappointment of Alan G. Spoon as a citizen regent of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution (Sponsored by Rep. Regula / House Administration Committee)
- 3) H.Con.Res. 355 Recognizing the benefits and importance of school-based music education, and for other purposes Sponsored by Rep. Cooper / Education and the Workforce Committee)
- H.Res. 703 Recognizing the 20th anniversary of the Chernobyl nuclear disaster and supporting continued efforts to control radiation and mitigate the adverse health consequences related to the Chernobyl nuclear power plant
- (Sponsored by Rep. Gallegly / International Relations Committee)

 H.Res. 744 Expressing support for the Good Friday Agreement of 1998 as the blueprint for lasting peace in Northern Ireland and support for continued police reform in Northern Ireland as a critical element in the peace Process (Sponsored by Rep. Hyde / International Relations Committee)
- H.Res. 692 Commending the people of the Republic of the Marshall Islands for the contributions and sacrifices they made to the United States nuclear testing program in the Marshall Islands, solemnly acknowledging the first detonation of a hydrogen bomb by the United States on March 1, 1954, on the Bikini Atoll in the Marshall Islands, and remembering that 60 years ago the United States began its nuclear testing program in the Marshall Islands (Sponsored by Del. Faleomavaega / International Relations Committee)

Special Orders

Wednesday's Forecast

On Wednesday, the House will meet at 10:00 a.m. for legislative business.

- H.R. 3127 Darfur Peace and Accountability Act of 2006 (Sponsored by Rep. Hyde / International Relations Committee)
- H.Con.Res. 320 Calling on the Government of the Socialist Republic of Vietnam to immediately and unconditionally release Dr. Pham Hong Son and other political prisoners and prisoners of conscience, and other purposes Sponsored by Rep. Smith (NJ) / International Relations Committee)
- H.Res. 578 Concerning the Government of Romania's ban on intercountry adoptions and the welfare of orphaned or abandoned children in Romania (Sponsored by Rep. Smith (NJ) / International Relations Committee,
- H.Con.Res. 360 Authorizing the use of the Capitol Grounds for the National Peace Officers' Memorial Service onsored by Rep. Shuster / Transportation and Infrastructure Committee)
- H.Con.Res. 371 Honoring and congratulating the Minnesota National Guard, on its 150th anniversary, for its spirit of dedication and service to the State of Minnesota and the Nation and recognizing that the role of the National Guard, the Nation's citizen-soldier based militia, which was formed before the United States Army, has been and still is extremely important to the security and freedom of the Nation (Sponsored by Rep. Kennedy (MN) / Armed Services Committee)
- H.Con.Res. 370 Expressing the sense of the Congress that Saudi Arabia should fully live up to its World Trade Organization commitments and end all aspects of any boycott on Israel (Sponsored by Rep. Shaw / Ways and Means Committee)
- H.Res. 737 Supporting the goals and ideals of Financial Literacy Month, and for other purposes
- (Sponsored by Rep. Biggert / Government Reform Committee)

 H.R. 4688 Mayor John Thompson `Tom' Garrison Memorial Post Office Designation Act (Sponsored by Rep. Hayes / Government Reform Committee) 8)
- H.R. 4561 Francisco `Pancho' Medrano Post Office Building Designation Act (Sponsored by Rep. Eddie Bernice Johnson / Government Reform Committee)

 10) H.R. 4646 - Coach John Wooden Post Office Building Designation Act
- nsored by Rep. Sherman / Government Reform Committee)
- 11) H.Res. 556 Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that a National Methamphetamine Prevention Week should be established to increase awareness of methamphetamine and to educate the public on ways to help prevent the use of that damaging narcotic (Sponsored by Rep. Baird / Government Reform Committee)
- 12) H.Con.Res. 366 To congratulate the National Aeronautics and Space Administration on the 25th anniversary of the first flight of the Space Transportation System, to honor Commander John Young and the Pilot Robert Crippen, who flew Space Shuttle Columbia on April 12-14, 1981, on its first orbital test flight, and to commend the men and women of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and all those supporting America's space program for their accomplishments and their role in inspiring the American people (Sponsored by Rep. Calvert / Science Committee)
- 13) H.Res. 541 Honoring Drs. Roy J. Glauber, John L. Hall, and Theodor W. Hansch for being awarded the Nobel Prize in Physics for 2005, and Drs. Yves Chauvin, Robert H. Grubbs, and Richard R. Schrock for being awarded the Nobel Prize in Chemistry for 2005, and for other purposes (Sponsored by Rep. Baird / Science Committee)

H.R. 513 - 527 Reform Act of 2005 (Subject to a Rule) (Sponsored by Rep. Shays / House Administration Committee)

Quote of the Day

"Throughout the (Democrat National Security) plan, in fact, there is no discussion of values, of liberty or generosity, of free markets or foreign aid -- of any purpose for American leadership larger than self-protection. The pollsters may be satisfied, but John F. Kennedy would not recognize his party.'

-- From an Op-Ed by Fred Hiatt in The Washington Post (4/3/06)